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**LAGIMONIER ET AL.**TITLE: **SYSTEM FOR OPTIMIZING THE INVOCATION OF COMPUTER-BASED SERVICES DEPLOYED IN A DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING ENVIRONMENT**

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**REQUEST FOR STATUS UPDATE**

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Sir:

An update on the status of the above referenced subject patent application is respectfully requested.

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